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Sir:

This is in response to the Restriction Requirement dated March 19, 2004. The Examiner therein required election of one of the following groups of claims:

- Group I: Claims 11 and 12, drawn to a jacket with curved slide fastener opening; or
Group II: Claims 13-19, drawn to a jacket with hood circumferential tensioning.

Applicants hereby elect to prosecute the claims of Group I, claims 11 and 12, without traverse.

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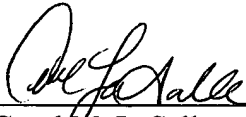
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